Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. (Original) A method for treating a skin disorder comprising introducing a polynucleotide subcutaneously using a needleless syringe.
- 2. (Currently Amended) A method for treating a skin disorder comprising injecting/subcutaneously injecting or subcutaneously introducing a polynucleotide around diseased skin using a needleless syringe.
- 3. (Original) The method of claim 1 or 2, wherein the polynucleotide is selected from a DNA, oligonucleotide, RNA, siRNA, and antisense.
- 4. (Currently Amended) The method of any one of claims 1 to 3 claim 3, comprising injecting/subcutaneously injecting or subcutaneously introducing 10 μg to 10 mg of the polynucleotide per dose in portions to multiple sites around the diseased skin.
- 5. (Currently Amended) The method of any one of claims 1 to 4 claim 1 or 2, wherein the needleless syringe injects a pharmaceutical liquid by using a gas pressure or an elastic force of an elastic member to drive a piston.
- 6. (Original) The method of claim 5, wherein the gas is helium, nitrogen, or air, and the elastic member is a spring.
- 7. (Currently Amended) The method of any one of claims 1 to 6 claim 1 or 2, wherein the polynucleotide is comprises hepatocyte growth factor (HGF) gene and/or prostacyclin synthetase (PGIS) gene, prostacyclin synthetase (PGIS) gene, or both.

- 8. (Currently Amended) The method of any one of claims 1 to 7 claim 3, wherein the oligonucleotide is an NF-κB decoy oligonucleotide comprising the sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1 or 2.
- 9. (Currently Amended) The method of any one of claims 1 to 8 <u>claim1 or 2</u>, wherein the skin disorder is a wound, cutaneous ulcer, or psoriasis.
- 10. (Currently Amended) The method of any one of claims 1 to 9 claim 9, wherein the wound is a post-surgical wound or a wound caused by an injury or accident.
- 11. (Currently Amended) The method of any one of claims 1 to 10 claim 9, wherein the cutaneous ulcer is an intractable cutaneous ulcer.
- 12. (Currently Amended) The method of any one of claims 1 to 11 claim 11, wherein the intractable cutaneous ulcer is a diabetic ulcer, bedsore (pressure ulcer), or ulcer associated with venous or arterial insufficiency.
- 13. (Currently Amended) A method for treating a wound or cutaneous ulcer, comprising injecting/subcutaneously injecting or subcutaneously introducing an HGF gene and/or or PGIS gene around diseased skin using a needleless syringe.
- 14. (Currently Amended) The method of claim 13, comprising injecting/subcutaneously injecting or subcutaneously introducing the HGF gene and PGIS gene around the diseased skin using a needleless syringe.
- 15. (Currently Amended) A method for treating psoriasis, comprising injecting/subcutaneously injecting or subcutaneously introducing an NF-κB decoy oligonucleotide around diseased skin using a needleless syringe.
- 16. (Original) An agent for treating, ameliorating, or preventing a skin disorder, comprising a polynucleotide as an active ingredient, wherein the agent is introduced subcutaneously using a needleless syringe.

- 17. (Currently Amended) An agent for treating, ameliorating, or preventing a skin disorder, comprising a polynucleotide as an active ingredient, wherein the agent is injected/subcutaneously injected or subcutaneously introduced around diseased skin using a needleless syringe.
- 18. (Original) The agent of claim 16 or 17, wherein the polynucleotide is selected from a DNA, oligonucleotide, RNA, siRNA, and antisense.
- 19. (Currently Amended) The agent of any one of claims 16 to 18 claim 18, comprising 10 μg to 10 mg of the polynucleotide per dose as an active ingredient, wherein the agent is injected/subcutaneously injected or subcutaneously introduced in portions to multiple sites around the diseased skin.
- 20. (Currently Amended) The agent of any one of claims 16 to 19 claim 16 or 17, wherein the needleless syringe injects a pharmaceutical liquid by using a gas pressure or an elastic force of an elastic member to drive a piston.
- 21. (Original) The agent of claim 20, wherein the gas is helium, nitrogen, or air, and the elastic member is a spring.
- 22. (Currently Amended) The agent of any one of claims 16 to 21 claim 16 or 17, wherein the polynucleotide is comprises an HGF gene and/or PGIS gene, or both.
- 23. (Currently Amended) The agent of any one of claims 16 to 22 claim 18, wherein the oligonucleotide is an NF-κB decoy oligonucleotide comprising the sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1 or 2.
- 24. (Currently Amended) The agent of any one of claims 16 to 23 claim 16 or 17, wherein the skin disorder is a wound, cutaneous ulcer, or psoriasis.

- 25. (Currently Amended) The agent of any one of claims 16 to 24 claim 24, wherein the wound is a post-surgical wound or a wound caused by an injury or accident.
- 26. (Currently Amended) The agent of any one of claims 16 to 25 claim 24, wherein the cutaneous ulcer is an intractable cutaneous ulcer.
- 27. (Currently Amended) The agent of any one of claims 16 to 26 claim 26, wherein the intractable cutaneous ulcer is a diabetic ulcer, bedsore (pressure ulcer), or ulcer associated with venous or arterial insufficiency.
- 28. (Currently Amended) An agent for treating, ameliorating, or preventing a wound or cutaneous ulcer, comprising an HGF gene and/or or PGIS gene as an active ingredient, wherein the agent is injected/subcutaneously injected or subcutaneously introduced around diseased skin using a needleless syringe.
- 29. (Currently Amended) The agent of claim 28, comprising an HGF gene and a PGIS gene as active ingredients, wherein the agent is injected/subcutaneously injected or subcutaneously introduced around diseased skin using a needleless syringe.
- 30. (Currently Amended) An agent for treating, ameliorating, or preventing psoriasis, comprising an NF-κB decoy oligonucleotide as an active ingredient, wherein the agent is <u>injected/subcutaneously</u> <u>injected or subcutaneously</u> introduced around diseased skin using a needleless syringe.
- 31. (Original) Use of a polynucleotide for preparing an agent for treating, ameliorating, or preventing a skin disorder, wherein the agent is introduced subcutaneously using a needleless syringe.
- 32. (Currently Amended) Use of a polynucleotide for preparing an agent for treating, ameliorating, or preventing a skin disease, wherein the agent is <u>injected/subcutaneously</u> <u>injected or subcutaneously</u> introduced around diseased skin using a needleless syringe.

- 33. (Original) The use of claim 31 or 32, wherein the polynucleotide is any one selected from a DNA, oligonucleotide, RNA, siRNA, and antisense.
- 34. (Currently Amended) The use of any one of claims 31 to 33 claim 33, wherein 10 µg to 10 mg of the polynucleotide per dose is injected/subcutaneously injected or subcutaneously introduced in portions to multiple sites around the diseased skin.
- 35. (Currently Amended) The use of any one of claims 31 to 34 claim 31 or 32, wherein the needleless syringe injects the pharmaceutical liquid by using a gas pressure or an elastic force of an elastic member to drive a piston.
- 36. (Original) The use of claim 35, wherein the gas is helium, nitrogen, or air, and the elastic member is a spring.
- 37. (Currently Amended) The use of any one of claims 31 to 36 claim 31 or 32, wherein the polynucleotide is comprises an HGF gene and/or PGIS gene, a PGIS gene, or both.
- 38. (Currently Amended) The use of any one of claims 31 to 37 claim 33, wherein the oligonucleotide is an NF- κ B decoy oligonucleotide that comprises the sequence of SEQ ID NO: 1 or 2.
- 39. (Currently Amended) The use of any one of claims 31 to 38 claim 31 or 32, wherein the skin disorder is a wound, cutaneous ulcer, or psoriasis.
- 40. (Currently Amended) The use of any one of claims 31 to 39 claim 39, wherein the wound is a post-surgical wound or a wound caused by an injury or accident.
- 41. (Currently Amended) The use of any one of claims 31 to 40 claim 39, wherein the cutaneous ulcer is an intractable cutaneous ulcer.

- 42. (Currently Amended) The use of any one of claims 31 to 41 claim 41, wherein the intractable cutaneous ulcer is a diabetic ulcer, bedsore (pressure ulcer), or ulcer associated with venous or arterial insufficiency.
- 43. (Currently Amended) Use of an HGF gene and/or or PGIS gene for preparing an agent for treating, ameliorating, or preventing a wound or cutaneous ulcer, wherein the agent is injected/subcutaneously injected or subcutaneously introduced around diseased skin using a needleless syringe.
- 44. (Currently Amended) The use of claim 43 of the HGF gene and PGIS gene for preparing an agent for treating, ameliorating, or preventing a wound or cutaneous ulcer, wherein the agent is <u>injected/subcutaneously</u> <u>injected or subcutaneously</u> introduced around diseased skin using a needleless syringe.
- 45. (Currently Amended) Use of an NF-κB decoy oligonucleotide for preparing an agent for treating, ameliorating, or preventing psoriasis, wherein the agent is injected/subcutaneously injected or subcutaneously introduced around diseased skin using a needleless syringe.